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Honorable Lester L. Wolff, Chairman
Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and
Control
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

This is in response to your letter to the Director, dated 5 April 1978, requesting comments on the galley proof page listing CIA's overall mission and other information for inclusion in the Congressional Resource Guide on Narcotics Abuse and Control to be published on 30 April.

Enclosed is a listing of the Agency's mission as it will appear in the new edition of the Government Organization Manual. We request that this be substituted for the listing in the galley proof. The enclosure also reflects corrective changes under the headings "Drug abuse and control effort," "Category," "Organizational history," and "OBLIGATIONS BY CATEGORY."

I trust that our changes are acceptable and the information concerning CIA will appear in the published Guide as set forth in the enclosure.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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Overall mission - The Central Intelligence Agency, under the direction of the President or the National Security Council:

Advises the National Security Council in matters concerning such intelligence activities of the Government departments and agencies as relate to national security;

Makes recommendations to the National Security Council for the coordination of such intelligence activities of the departments and agencies of the Government as relate to the national security;

Correlates and evaluates intelligence relating to the national security, and provides for the appropriate dissemination of such intelligence within the Government;

Performs for the benefit of the existing intelligence agencies, such additional services of common concern as the National Security Council determines can be more efficiently accomplished centrally;

Collects foreign intelligence, including information not otherwise obtainable, and develops, conducts, or provides support for technical and other programs which collect national foreign intelligence. The collection of information within the United States is coordinated with the FBI as required by procedures agreed upon by the Director of Central Intelligence and the Attorney General;

Produces and disseminates foreign intelligence relating to the national security, including foreign political, economic, scientific, technical, military, geographic and sociological intelligence to meet the needs of the President, the NSC, and other elements of the United States Government;

Collects, produces and disseminates intelligence on foreign aspects of narcotics production and trafficking;

Conducts counterintelligence activities outside the United States and coordinates counterintelligence activities conducted outside the United States by other agencies within the Intelligence Community;

Without assuming or performing any internal security functions, conducts counterintelligence activities within the United States, but only in coordination with the FBI and subject to the approval of the Attorney General;

Produces and disseminates counterintelligence studies and reports;

Coordinates the collection outside the United States of intelligence information not otherwise obtainable;

Conducts special activities approved by the President and carries out such activities consistent with applicable law;

Carries out or contracts for research, development and procurement of technical systems and devices relating to authorized functions;

Protects the security of its installations, activities, information and personnel by appropriate means, including such investigations of applicants, employees, contractors, and other persons with similar associations with the CIA as are necessary;

Conducts such administrative and technical support activities within and outside the United States as are necessary to perform its functions, including procurement and essential cover and proprietary arrangements;

Provides legal and legislative services and other administrative support to the Office of the Director of Central Intelligence;

Performs such other functions and duties related to intelligence affecting the national security as the National Security Council may from time to time direct.

The Agency has no police, subpoena, or law enforcement powers or internal security functions.

Drug abuse and control effort - The Central Intelligence Agency does not have a narcotics abuse and control program. The Agency's role has been to provide foreign intelligence on international narcotics trafficking to the policymakers and to agencies having responsibility for combating such trafficking into the United States. The Agency's activities consist of identifying foreign growing areas of illicit narcotics and international trafficking routes.

Category - Supply Reduction (No International Law Enforcement Function)

Operational years (1969-1976 period) - 1969-1976.

Organizational history - Successor to the wartime office of Special Services, the CIA was established under the NSC by the National Security Act of 1947 as amended and the CIA Act of 1949 and functions under those statutes; Executive Order 11905 of February 19, 1976 (superceded by Executive Order 12036 of January 26, 1978); and other laws; regulations; and directives.

OBLIGATIONS BY CATEGORY

(In millions of dollars; fiscal years)

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

Program - Foreign Intelligence Support for International Narcotics Programs. ¹Program authority: Executive Order 11905 of February 19, 1976 (superceded by Executive Order 12036, January 26, 1978), 43 FR 3674, Sections 1-803, 2-208(g).

Supply reduction/demand reduction - Total:

Fiscal year:

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| 1969 | ----- | (2) |
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| 1974 | ----- | (2) |
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| 1976 | ----- | (2) |

Total-----(2)

¹Consists of identifying growing areas of illicit narcotics and locating international narcotics routes.

²Not separately identifiable.